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## Habit-forming Medicines.

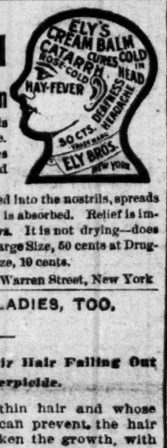
Whatever may be the fact as to many of the so-called patent medicines containing injurious ingredients as broadly published in some journals of more or less influence, this publicity has certainly been of great benefit in arousing needed attention to this subject. It has, in a considerable measure, resulted in the most intelligent people avoiding such foods and medicines as may be fairly suspected of containing the injurious ingredients complained of. Recognizing this fact some time ago, Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., "took time by the forelock," as it were, and published broadcast all the ingredients of which his popular medicines are composed. Thus he has completely forestalled all harping critics and all opposition that might otherwise be urged against his medicines, because they are now OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. Furthermore, from the formula printed on every bottle wrapper, it will be seen that these medicines contain no alcohol or other habit-forming drugs. Neither do they contain any narcotics or injurious agents, their ingredients being purely vegetable, extracted from the roots of medicinal plants found growing in the depths of our American forests and of well recognized curative virtues.

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### Scene in House of Commons.

For a few brief minutes yesterday evening the British House of Commons suffered an agony of terror under the belief that not only the precincts of the House, but the sacred chamber itself had been invaded by suffragists. Disguised in male clothes, with shortened hair, a woman walked through the doors of the chamber and began to move toward the speaker's chair. An intrepid attendant pounced upon the intruder, seized her by the arm, and walked her back, while the shrinking legislators timorously watched, expecting that the fiery Pankhurst crew would rush to the rescue.

Mr. Kennaway, the nearest member, rushed boldly after the retreating woman, followed in hot haste by the sergeant-at-arms, whose arduous duty if is to maintain decorum in the chamber and its approaches. Happily, the peril passed. The members recovered their equanimity upon learning that the feminine invaded was innocent of wrong, having mistakenly followed Mr. Kennaway, who had come to procure her a ticket of admission to the woman's gallery. The lady who was unfamiliar with the topography of the house, was covered with confusion when she realized the enormity of her unpremediated offense, and hastened under Mr. Kennaway's escort to comparative privacy behind the wall which divides the woman's gallery.

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### Reception by Pope.

The Pope yesterday received the members of the Sacred College, led by the dean, Cardinal Oreglia di Santo Stefano, who tendered him their greetings on the occasion of his name day. It was remarked that the Pontiff did not make the least allusion to the situation in France, but merely thanked the cardinal most warmly, expressing the satisfaction which he experienced at seeing them all in good health.

He also referred to the rules regarding fasting and to the completion of the new apartment in the Vatican for Cardinal Merry Dell Val, the papal secretary of State, saying that he rejoiced at the fact that the work had not cost the Holy See anything, all the expenses having been borne by a rich friar of Barcelona.

Only Cardinal Mocella, who is suffering from an apopleptic stroke, was absent from the ceremony.

After the cardinals had retired the Pope received other high dignitaries of the church. The United States was represented by Archbishop Quigley, of Chicago.

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### Accused Dismissed.

The case against E. H. Tucker, A. L. Pritchett, S. V. Vail, Norman Danson, and J. T. Banks, charged with stealing goods from the Southern Railway freight depot, was given a preliminary hearing at Greensboro, N. C., before Justice of the Peace Glascock, and all of the defendants were discharged, the evidence against them not being sufficient to hold them to the superior courts.

The men were arrested at the instance of Detectives Seagle, of Washington, and Ahearn, of Greensboro, who thought they had sufficient evidence to convict the defendants of stealing liquor, shoes, and other articles. Pritchett is conductor of a freight train, and the other defendants were members of his crew. For some time articles have been disappearing from the depot and box cars and the detectives had been at work on the case for several weeks.

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### Attempted Murder and Suicide.

Otis Thompson shot his wife twice and then killed himself about 6 o'clock last night in Lynchburg. They were married December last, but had quarreled and separated two weeks ago. It is thought that Thompson went to the house where his wife was boarding to urge her to live with him again and that she refused. He then shot her twice in the face, inflicting two critical wounds. She rushed out of the room and into apart of the house. He followed, and when in the hall turned the pistol to his own forehead, fired, and fell dead. Physicians say the wife's injuries, while dangerous, are not necessarily fatal. Thompson had not worked regularly, and his wife, up to the time they quarreled, had supported him. Both were about eighteen years of age.

### Health in Canal Zone.

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Annie Ware vs. Joseph Ware } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony.

In appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Joseph Ware, is not a resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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| 10 cans choice Baked Pork and Beans | 75c |
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| 2 lbs. Price's or our Baking Powder | 75c |
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| 1 gal. Finest Vermont Maple Syrup | 75c |
| 2 gal. Finest Imported Mustard, prepared | 75c |
| 3 lbs. Best Chocolate | 75c |
| 3 lbs. Finest Shredded Cocoanut | 75c |
| 1 keg of Holland Herring | 75c |
| 3 lbs. Pure Java and Mocha Coffee | 75c |
| 10 cans Sour Kraut and Salmon, half each | 75c |
| 2 lbs. Gunpowder Tea, choice | 75c |
| 2 lbs. Japan Tea, choice | 75c |
| 10 packages Finest Imported Macaroni | 75c |
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THE TINKERING with the immigration law in order to help the administration out of the hole in which it needlessly involved itself in dealing with the Japanese question has led to a broader discussion of our restrictive legislation. There is a growing doubt, says the Philadelphia Record, as to the wisdom of keeping out assisted immigration at a time when the cry for more labor goes up from all parts of the country. There is also question of the policy of forbidding to individuals the right to import the labor they need while at the same time conceding the right to import to the States. There is nothing the country stands in greater need of at the present moment than healthy, able-bodied men and women willing to give honest day's work for honest day's pay. In regard to southern immigration, plans which have been practically stopped by a recent decision of Attorney General Bonaparte, the Baltimore News well says:

The facts are out now, and it is plain that the new immigration law has hit hard the plans of southern immigration bureaus, just as The News surmised. It appears that the renewed activity of the South Carolina officials is based on assurances to the effect that there will be no change in the situation until July 1, and that methods now in use may be safely employed until then. As to what the situation may be thereafter, it is admitted that there is no better assurance than that meanwhile the government will consider the matter and see what can be done to facilitate the plans of southern States for inducing immigration to come that way. Leading southern men freely admit that the outlook is not favorable to relieving the stress of labor conditions that is now obstructing the industrial development of the South. The Louisiana Commissioner of Agriculture and Immigration says that the recent decision of the Attorney General has seriously interfered with the plans of his department. About 600 Italian farm laborers were being arranged for, the State Government to pay their expenses and the employers to reimburse the State for the outlay. By prompt action shipments may be brought in during the period of grace; but unless such soliciting and assisting of desirable immigrants are permissible under the new law, little will be accomplished to relieve the situation. The old saying that perseverance conquers all difficulties applies to the case however. If one way is prohibited another may be tried, and by keeping everlastingly at it the southern States will eventually accomplish their purpose. The considerations that prompted the enactment of the contract-labor law were very different from those involved in the present southern immigration movement, and the courts have held that that is a highly penal statue which must be strickly construed. Some way of doing effective work without striking legal snags is likely to be discovered.

A FEW DAYS ago the Gazette suggested that certain capitalists of this country were bearing the money markets in order to scare off the action of the federal authorities in probing the affairs of certain corporations, and Wall street today is discussing a letter given prominence in the Evening Post, the best informed and most conservative of New York newspapers on financial topics, in its Wall Street edition last night. The letter is signed J. N. H. The writer charges in effect that failing to bribe State legislatures according to previous methods, the railroads have sought to bulldoze them by getting up a fake stock panic. J. N. H. says:

Penal statutes, judicial decisions, and a widely prevailing public opinion have taken from these corporations the powerful weapons with which they have fought hostile legislation in the states for many years. Heretofore and until the exposures which culminated in the state investigation in this state, all that directors had to do to ward off the attacks of 'strikers' as well as to defeat honest legislation deemed inimical to their interests was to roll up their sleeves and dip down into the fat treasuries of their corporations and pull out the stockholders' money and distribute it where it would do the most good. The system of defense is now too dangerous to be longer practicable.

The writer then points out that new methods were necessary. Meanwhile the stock market "goes tumbling down lower to lower levels without check or support from any quarter. The condition is anomalous. A steadily falling stock market on a high wave of prosperity. It means but one thing, seemingly, that the captains of finance have withdrawn their support for the time being." The letter concludes as follows:

It may be that manipulation of the stock market may prove a more potent weapon than the use of coporate funds in politics. It is a weapon that would reach over the heads of legislators and third houses, and strike at the national prosperity. Are the captains already using it?"

## From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, March 19.

"Save us from the States" is the cry of the railroad magnates to President Roosevelt. A year ago every transportation manager in the country was working to beat the administration's railroad rate programme. They would never agree to federal control, they said. Now they are begging the President to cover them with the protecting wing of the American eagle. A few months has taught them that national supervision of railroads is not so bad after all. State control may be much worse. In leaping from the frying pan of the federal government, they found themselves in the fire of the State legislatures, which from the little experience they have had of it, is a good deal hotter than the pan. The visit of President Charles S. Mellen, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, at the White House today will, it is believed, be followad by other conferences of like nature. Other railroad men will come to add their arguments for the prompt assumption of supervision by the national government. The railroad magnates are now sorry that they did not aid the President in his efforts to bring the railroad business under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission. With halt the States in the union joining in the hue and cry after them, the only hope they can see ahead is the enactment of federal laws that will head off the State bills. If Congress will pass a comprehensive bill that covers the ground, there will be nothing left for the States to do. The saving in lobby bills is a very large inducement for the railroads to try for complete federal supervision. Under the present system, the big railroads spend barrels of money at every State capital every time the legislature meets. They are obliged to maintain expensive lawyers and "public agents" who must have big "entertainment" funds with which to keep the legislators in good humor. If the railroads had only Washington to watch, their troubles would all be centered here, and as the members of Congress are under closer scrutiny by the country at large than are the members of the remote State legislatures, it is fair to presume that their acts will bear the lime light better. Many of the States have already enacted two-cent-fare bills. Other States have passed or are considering drastic railroad commission or public utilities measures. The prospect is gloomy throughout the country, and the President seems to be the only savior in sight. Before meeting his appointment with the President this afternoon, Mr. Mellen had a long conference with Chairman Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, at the latter's office. After his conference with Chairman Knapp, President Mellen talked with Commissioner Lane, who has been discussing railroad affairs recently with President Roosevelt. Chairman Knapp explained that Mellen called upon him in response to a special request, in order that they might discuss certain complaints which the commission has received. He said they didn't in their talk touch upon the question of railway management.

Information comes from a creditable source that the administration has about decided upon a striking change in its financial policy. The action, if taken, will in one particular reverse former Secretary Shaw, and may eliminate certain railroad bonds from the position they now occupy as gilt-edged securities. There is an impression here that it may have been an intimation of what was to come that sent J. Pierpoint Morgan across the Atlantic before he had time to put the finishing touches to the conference which he tried to arrange between President Roosevelt and leading railroad presidents. Foreign capital, which is heavily invested in American railroad enterprises, gives every evidence of extreme sensitiveness over the present agitation, and the announcement of what might be considered actual hostility, might precipitate a disastrous flurry. It is understood that the new Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Cortelyou, has even more decided views upon the subject of acceptable securities than has President Roosevelt. Former Secretary Shaw, in his efforts to establish an elastic currency, interpreted the law governing security for public deposits in favor of a high grade of railroad bonds. When he wanted an increased circulation, he premitted banks to place with the Treasury, railroad and other bonds to the amount they desired, conditional upon the government bonds so released being made the basis for increased circulation. It is said the present head of the Treasury Department considers such a method of finance as unsatisfactory, not conductive to financial stability and not in consonance with the general policies of the government. Secretary Cortelyou will not admit that a final decision has been reached as to the class of securities which will hereafter be acceptable to the government. He admits, however, that the department has the subject under careful consideration. The amount of railway bonds now held as security for public deposits is about $15,000,000.

President Roosevelt today emphatically denied that the recent visit to the White House of Governor Deneen, of Illinois, was made for the purpose of launching Secretary Taft's presidential boom. Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, called at the White House today to ask about the truth of the story and the President assured him that there was no truth in it whatever and authorized him to deny the story just as emphatically as he knew how.

The State Department this afternoon received a dispatch from Philip Brown, Secretary of the U. S. legation at Honduras saying: "Trujillo now in possession of the revolutionists. The northern coast of Honduras is exposed to attack." The revolutionists are working in conjunction with the Nicaraguan forces.

It is reported that at the elections to be held in Cuba in June the property owners, comprising about 10 per cent. of the population, will not vote, but will let the negroes and vicious element, who compose the other 90 per cent. of the population, secure all the offices and thus create such a state of affairs as will require the United States to continue in control of the island.

Preliminary examination into the doings on the Hill system of railroads has convinced the Interstate Commerce Commission that the light of day on them would be beneficial to the business interest of the country. Special attorneys are now in the field gathering date for the investigation.

It was announced by Robert N. Harper last night that because of the failure to secure sufficient funds, the plan to have a secretary to the Board of Trade had failed.

Strong resolutions of sympathy for the Russian revolutionists were unanimously adopted today by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, now in session here.

Southwest storm warnings were ordered at 1 p. m., from Baltimore to New York, increasing southwesterly winds, shifting to southwest and northwest tonight, with dangerous squalls on Middle Atlantic coast are predicted.

## News of the Day.

It was announced in Philadelphia this afternoon that all Baltimore & Ohio employes would be granted a 10 per cent increase.

The Louisville Expositon was opened yesterday evening by President Roosevelt pressing an electric button in the White House.

A bronze tablet commemorating the birth of Grover Cleveland was unveiled yesterday in the room in which he was born at Caldwell, N. J.

According to reliable information received at Panama from Salvador, that country has allied itself openly with Honduras in the war with Nicaragua.

President Ripley, of the Santa Fe Railroad, is quoted as saying that President Roosevelt is responsible for the present uncertain conditions in Wall street.

Reports from the headquarters of the Allegheny river indicate that Sunday's rains will not seriously affect the state of water at Pittsburg. Both rivers continue to recede there, and no further damage is expected.

President Roosevelt defied Senator Foraker and the Foraker-Dick machine in the State of Ohio last night by deciding to appoint John G. Sater, of Columbus, United States Judge of the Southern district of Ohio.

President Castro, finding the air of Macuto growing hot, returned to Caracas today, giving evidence of wonderful improvement in his health. Castro was received with an ovation on his return to Caracas.

The alleged confession of "D. W. Gray," supposed to be a member of Company B, which was printed at Galveston, Texas, was formally denied yesterday in a telegram from Major Blocksom, at San Antonio, to the War Department.

William J. Bryan on Sunday in Chicago expressed the opinion that trade unions have done more good for this country than any force in the country. "The unions have made some mistakes, but they have accomplished more good," was the keynote of his speech.

Undermined for the second time within two months, a three-story brick tenement building owned by the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, located at Front and Plum streets, Cincinnati, collapsed a few minutes after 7 o'clock last night and twelve persons were buried in the debris. Two are dead and nine are injured. The police are making every effort to locate an old man who jumped from the building and who, it is feared, is lost; with this exception all persons are accounted for.

The Teheran correspondent of the London Daily Mail says that Indian mounted troops have entered Persia to protect the British consulate in the south. There is a rumor that the Afghans are moving on the frontier. Cossacks have arrived at Teheran and at the Russian consulates in the north. A Russian transport with troops is off Enzalli, a port on the Caspian sea. It is reported, but not confirmed, that a British warship is in the gulf of Persia. There is great excitement.

### The Thaw Trial.

As was stated in the Gazette of that day, the affidavit made by Evelyn Nesbit in Hummel's office when she returned from Europe in 1903 was admitted in evidence and read to the jury yesterday.

Contary to the evidence of Abraham Hummel, the affidavit purported to be for use in a suit against Thaw, and was signed by Howe and Hummel, as counsel for the plaintiff, though Hummel denied that he was acting as Evelyn Nesbit's counsel.

Witnesses for the defense told of Thaw's irrational appearance after his arrest, and his declaration that he heard little girls weeping in the police station.

Alienists were put on the stand to declare that Thaw did not know he was doing wrong in shooting Stanford White.

Mr. Delmas introducted the record of Hummel's conviction for conspiracy in connection with the Dodge-Morse marriage and divorce tangle.

The defense rested, and but four more experts are to be heard. The case may go to the jury Friday.

### Double Duel.

Ashland, Ky., March 19.—News of a double duel with two of the principals killed and a posse in pursuit of the sole surviving member of the three-cornered fight reached here today from Hellier, Ky., Sam Rose, a brother of Alcena Rose, one of the most attractive girls in Southwestern Virginia, and Frank Dutton, the girl's sweetheart are dead. Elias Dutton, a brother of one of the dead men, has taken to the mountains. According to the story reaching here, Frank Dutton and Alcena Rose eloped and went to Hellier, Ky., where Sam Rose, who had been in pursuit, overtook them yesterday. Rose and Dutton met in the street, each drew his revolver, and Dutton was killed. Continuing on his way to find his sister, Rose met Elias Dutton, who had heard of the killing of his brother. Again pistols were drawn and a second battle fought, Rose being killed. The slayer made his escape.

### Announcement of Wedding Expected.

New York, March 19.—Formal announcement is expected late this afternoon of the engagement of Miss Ethel Goodsell Rockefeller daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller and niece of John D Rockefeller, to Marcellus Hartley Dodge, muti-millionaire and prominent in industrial and financial circles of this city. Mr. Dodge, who is only 26, is a well-known yactsman, while his future bride is an enthusiastic motorist.

### King Leopold's Condition.

Brussels, March 19.—Private information received here fully confirms the reported cerebral attack suffered several days ago by King Leopold during his visit to the Riviera despite official denials of the story. The aged king, now in his seventy-second year, was unconscious for several hours. It is expected he will cut his visit much shorter than he had intended and return home soon.

### Threatened Strike.

Cleveland, O., March 19—At a meeting of the executive Board of the International Brotherhood of Boiler Makers, and Iron Shipbuilders here, today, an ultimatum was issued to E. H. Harriman that a general strike would be declared on all his lines within 48 hours unless officials of the Chicago & Alton come to terms with the boiler-makers on that line, on strike since February 15.

## Today's Telegraphic News

### The Thaw Trial.

New York, March 19.—Harry Thaw's trial was resumed today with every prospect that the taking of testimony would be completed by night. The last announcement from the defense that only four experts would be called before resting, Drs. Charles Pilgrim and Minas Gregory, new acquisitions, and Evans and Wagner, the old stand-bys, bore out this idea. It was expected only hypothetical questions would be put to them.

When court convened today Dr. Smith Ely Jelliffe, who was on the stand when the court closed yesterday, was recalled and Jerome pursued his cross-examination.

Jerome tried to make Dr. Jelliffe say that in making up his mind as to Thaw's insanity, when he killed White, he had included facts not sustained in the hypothetical question, and a sparring match followed.

Dr. Jelliffe was elusive in evading giving a definite classification of the various kinds of insanity. Jelliffe admitted other facts brought on in the testimony not included in the hypothetical question which he deemed of value. In sparring with the prosecutor he proved as worthy as Dr. Evans, who set a standard which will be hard to excel.

Jerome finally gave up this line of examination and asked if Dr. Jelliffe subscribed to Dr. Evans's theory of "brain storm." Dr. Jelliffe at once came to the support of his fellow expert. Dr. Jelliffe said he could subscribe to this description. Dr. Jelliffe went further than any of the other experts by saying he could recall several cases of brain storms where the victim could remember their acts during the "brain storms" after the recovery.

Jerome could not break down the witness and finally he and the doctor lost their temper once.

Justice Fitzgerald ordered a recess with Dr Jelliffe atill on the stand.

Dr. Jelliffe was excused when court reconvened in the afternoon and Dr. Charles W. Pilgrom president of the New York Lunacy Commission was called to the stand.

### Charges of Graft.

San Francisco, March 19.—After months of persistent work Assistant District Attorney Heney and William J. Burns, have already discovered evidence of graft which will probably send some men in high places to prison. Hundreds of indictments are promised and the inquisitorial mill, according to the prosecution, will begin to return bills tomorrow. "Boss" Ruef, and Mayor Schmitz are credited with receiving amounts well up into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. The United Railroads alone paid $450,000 for the trolley franchise, and of this Schmitz and Ruef are accredited with receiving $140,000 each. Supervisor Thomas F. Lonergan broke down completely when confronted with evidence against him and confessed in detail. Other supervisors have also signed affidavits of confession and told their stories. All supervisors will resign their offices, but Mayor Schmitz will be permitted to retain office until he names a new board satisfactory to representative citizens.

### Nicaragua and Honduras.

Managua, Nicaragua, March 19.—The capture of the port of Trexillo, one of the principal seaports of Honduras, by a Nicaraguan naval force is expected to bring the war between Nicaragua and Honduras to a speedy close. The Nicaraguan land forces have done their share against the Hondurans and the hope is cherished that the last defeat will cause President Bonilla to sue for peace.

The reported joining of Salvador in the war to support Honduras is not expected to have any effect on the contest.

Advices from Panama announce that 2,500 Salvadorian soldiers are on their way to Choluteca to assist the Hondurans. With the defeats Bonilla has suffered it is said notwithstanding this assistance, he will be glad to make peace on any terms he can secure.

### Destructive Fire in Augusta, Ga.

Augusta, Ga., March 19.—A big fire is raging here. Already the building of the Augusta Chronicle and the Western Union building have been destroyed. The Chelsea House may take fire at any moment and panic reigns among the guests. It is expected, however, they will escape from the hotel.

The flames are rapidly increasing, and it is feared they will get beyond control.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

Augusta, Ga., March 19.—Fire that started in the job office of the Augusta Chronicle, early today destroyed the main office of the Western Union Telegraph Company, the Union City ticket office and the Chronicle building. Losses are estimated at $75,000 to $100,000.

### Training Ship Capsized.

Copenhagen, Denmark, March 19.—While 400 workmen were over-hauling the Danish training ship Viking in the shipyard here today the vessel was overturned during a terrific storm and between 40 and 50 workmen are missing, all of whom are believed to have been drowned. A number of bodies have been washed ashore and scores of thrilling rescues were made following the accident.

Further investigation showed that no one was drowned.

### Posse After Negro Assailants.

Fairmont, Ga., March 19.—A posse is in pursuit of an unknown negro who some time during last night assaulted Mrs. James Colvert, wife of former Mayor Colvert. She is in a serious condition, and her two-year-old baby is dead with its head almost severed, the negro having been angered by the child's outcries when the attack on the mother was made. The assault is the first that has occurred in this county since last summer, and there is no doubt that a lynching will result if the negro is caught.

### Charges Dismissed.

New York, March 19.—Mrs. Lottie Wallan, the wealthy New York woman, held under suspicion of having poisoned her mother, Mrs. Ida Binge, in order to prevent the latter's sufferings from cancer, was exonerated today by the grand jury dismissing the charges against her. This afternoon there was a report about the court that District Attorney Jerome was not satisfied with the grand jury's verdict, and will seek to have the case taken up by the April grand jury.

The winds of March have no terror to the user of DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It quickly heals chapped and cracked skin. Good too, for boils and burns, and undoubtedly the best relief for Piles. Sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

## An Important Public Question.

In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county yesterday the question was suggested by a member of the bar that it was extremely doubtful if Judge Barley, the judge designated by the governor to hold the courts of the Sixteenth circuit, had any power to perform the duties and functions of a judge in vacation. The following article gives the views of some of the lawyers on the question:

The question may be asked whether the governor has power, when there is a vacancy in the office of a judge of a Circuit Court, to designate another Circuit Judge or a Judge of a city of the first class, to hold the courts and also perform all the duties or functions, required of a judge of such court in vacation.

The answer depends upon the true construction of the third paragraph of an act approved March 15, 1904, Acts of Assembly 1904, pages 334 and 335, which provides, if a vacancy shall occur in the office of a judge of a Circuit or City Court, the governor, who, instead of appointing at once a successor, may designate a judge of another Circuit or City Court to hold the terms of the court in which such vacancy exists, and until the same shall be filled in the mode prescribed by law, and the last sentence of the paragraph is "A judge so procured, selected or designated shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of judge of such court."

This paragraph does not, in express words, embrace the duty or function of a judge, in vacation, and it refers or relates to a court which has no judge, or where there is a vacancy in the office of judge.

The judge so designated can certainly hold the terms of court in which the vacancy exists; but can he perform the duty or function of a judge in vacation?, if so, then the authority is conferred by the words, "shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of judge of such court."

Let us look at the language of the other two paragraphs of the act.

The first paragraph of the act provides if a judge of a Circuit Court or City Court be absent or be unable or fail to attend any regular or special term in whole or part, or if owing to absence or sickness he be unable or fail to perform or discharge, during the vacation of such court, any official duty or function, authorized or required by law, he, the judge, may procure another judge to hold the court or discharge during vacation such duty or function.

This paragraph, in express words, not only embraces holding the court but also discharging during vacation, the duty or function of a judge.

It refers or relates to a court which has a judge or when there is no vacancy in the office of judge thereof.

The judge of the court procures another judge to sit and act for him.

The second paragraph of the act provides if a judge of a Circuit Court or city court for any cause ought not to preside at any trial, civil or criminal, pending in court, or by reason of sickness or other physical disability be unable to attend to any duty as judge, the governor shall designate some other judge to hold the terms of court and otherwise to act and perform the duties of judge of such courts in term time or in vacation, and he "shall have the powers and perform all the duties of judge of such court or courts."

This paragraph, likewise, in express words, not only embraces holding the terms of court but discharging in vacation the duty or function of a judge of such court.

It refers or relates to a court which has a judge or when there is no vacancy in the office of judge thereof.

Why did the legislature in these two instances, when there is no vacancy in the office of judge, in express words embrace not only holding terms of court but also the duty or function of a judge in vacation; and, in the other instance, when there is a vacancy in the office of judge, not in express words embrace the duty or function of a judge in vacation, if it intended to confer the authority upon the judge so designated in the last instance or when there is a vacancy in the office of judge?

It will not do to contend that it was not necessary to say "the duty or function of a judge in vacation" in the last paragraph of the act, because the last sentence thereof says, a judge so designated shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of judge of such court, for the same language is substantially used in the second paragraph and, in addition thereto, the words to perform the duty or function of a judge in vacation.

"If it was necessary to employ the words, in vacation or during vacation," to confer authority to discharge the duty or function of a judge in vacation when there is no vacancy in the office of judge, then it was also necessary to use them when there is a vacancy in the office of judge.

To what do the words in the third or last paragraph of the act, "shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of a judge of said court," refer to, or what is their meaning as so used? They must refer to or mean what the same words refer to or mean in the second paragraph.

What is a judge designated by the governor, in case of a vacancy in the office, to do? "To hold the terms of the court in which said a vacancy exists," until the same shall have been filled in the mode prescribed by law. This is all. And then follow the words a judge "shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of the judge of such courts." For what purpose are these powers or authority given, to enable him to do what he has been designated to do, viz: to hold the terms of the court?

The words, "and such judge so designated shall have the powers and perform all the duties of judge of such courts or courts until," etc., in the second paragraph of the act likewise refer to, or mean, to enable him to do what he has been designated to do, viz: "to hold the term or terms of such court or courts, to order special terms, and otherwise to act and perform the duties of judge of such court or courts in term time or in vacation."

If these words, therefore, must be confined or restricted to what the judge has been designated to do, in the one case—when there is no vacancy in the office, that is to hold the terms, regular and special, and perform the duties of judge of such court in term time and in vacation—then in the other case, when there is a vacancy in the office, they must be confined or restricted to what the judge has been designated to do, to hold the terms of the court simply.

Why should there be a difference in what a judge is designated to do, in case of a vacancy, and in case of no vacancy? In case of a vacancy in the office, it is the duty of the Governor, "to fill, pro tempore, vacancies in all offices of the State" etc. Art. VI. sec. 73 constitution 1402. As much as to declare there shall be no vacancies in State offices, for we, the convention, abhor a vacancy in a State office.

The legislature had this section of the constitution in mind when it enacted the law, because in the third paragraph they use the words "instead of appointing at once a successor, may designate a judge to hold the terms of the court in which such vacancy exists" etc.

The legislature knew this was the duty of the governor, to fill the vacancy at once, but there might be reasons why he should not appoint a successor at once and this law was passed to cover such a case, of an exceptional case.

If the legislature would convene in 30 or 60 days time, or if a term of court would come, before he had time to select a successor and appoint, or the like, he was empowered to designate a judge to hold court. But it was not necessary to confer any more authority on such designated judge than to hold court, as it was contemplated and expected the Governor would perform his duty as soon as convenient; and, therefore, the third paragraph of the act did not, purposely, confer upon the said judge anything more than to hold court; and did not confer power to perform the duty or function of a judge in vacation.

Some of the duties or functions of a judge in vacation are to appoint electoral boards, surveyors, superintendent of poor, commissioners of revenue, assessors, pension commissioners, coroners, members of school trustee, electoral board, boards of health, and to fill vacancies in all county and district offices; supervisors, commonwealth attorneys, treasurers and clerks; and, he, likewise has to perform many other things relating to the county government.

It would have been unwise policy to allow a man, say from Wise county, to make any of these appointment, for say Loudoun county. He would be a stranger; would not know the people of Loudoun county, or their wishes or needs; and he would not be responsible to them, like their own judge would be. Suppose there was a vacancy in the office of judge of the Corporation Court of Alexandria and the governor, instead of appointing his successor, should designate the judge of the court of Danville, or some judge from the Valley of Virginia, to act, does any one suppose the people would be satisfied to have such judge appoint the commissioner of revenue of Alexandria, or the electoral board of the city?

The governor's duty is to fill vacancies in State offices promptly. The people of the several counties and cities of the State are entitled to have their own officers, respectively, who they know, who are of them, and who, in their conduct and discharge of their duties, they hold to strict account; and whom they feel are responsible to them. The power of appointment was conferred upon the governor to be exercised by him for the proper and efficient administration of the government. It would be unprecedented for the governor to neglect to perform this duty, for say, it might be, the period of two years, and place a stranger as judge over the people, and, in a way, to govern them for so long a time.

It might be all right, if a judge did nothing else than hold court. The law, pleading evidence, practice, and trial of causes in court, are the same over the whole state, but no man, a stranger to the people, could perform the other duties or functions of a judge, to the satisfaction and contentement of the people.

Again as the third paragraph of the act alone provides for the compensation and mileage to be paid, the judge thereof and there relates to the other two paragraphs of the act as well as to the third; and therefore, the last sentence of the said third paragraph in the following words, "A judge so procured, selected or designated shall have all the powers and be authorized to perform all the duties of the judge of such court," is applicable to all the paragraphs of the act, and not alone to third paragraph. The word "procured" in the sentence is employed in the first paragraph and the word "designated" is employed in the second and third paragraph; but the word "selected" appears only in the sentence of the third paragraph. If the sentence quoted is applicable to all the paragraphs of the act, then the contention that in order for the designated judge, under the third parapraph, or when there is a vacancy in the office of judge, to perform the duty and function of a judge of such court in vacadon, he must have been empowered or authorized in express words, or as the judge is in the other two paragraphs is correct.

A serious constitutional question is involved. Article 6, sections 97 and 99 of the constitution, 1902 read as follows: "The judge of one circuit may be required or authorized to hold court in any other circuit or city," and "the judge of a city court in cities of a first class may be required or authorized to hold the Circuit Courts of any county and the Circuit Courts of any city." These provisions preclude such a judge from doing any thing but hold court, or include all he shall do, or is authorized to do.

Had the legislature the power to go beyond these sections?

Had the constitutional convention not spoken on the subject, the legislature would have had the power to require or authorize the judge of a circuit or city court not only to hold the courts of any circuit or city but likewise to perform the duties and functions of a judge in vacation. This is clear; but the convention having spoken on the subject, can the legislature do more than carry out its declarations?

The words, "may be required or authorized to hold court in any other circuit or city" is the express language of the constitution.

These words are used in a restrictive sense on the power of the judge who is designated; and the legislature cannot add more power to him than is conferred by them, or enlarge his powers.

Suppose the legislature had passed a law requiring or authorizing a judge of a city court of the second class to hold a circuit court or city court in a city of the first class, would the act be unconstitutional? It would seem so.

But for the constitutional provisions above quoted the legislature would have had the power to do it. As the convention, however, has spoken on the subject, restricting not only the judge who shall hold court in any circuit and what such judge shall do, the legislature cannot go beyond these declarations, either as to the judge or as to what the judge designated shall do.

These constitutional provisions are therefore restrictive in a double sense, as to the judge and as to what such judge shall do.

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### COL. HOOE FOR CONGRESS.

A special to the Washington Herald from Bluemont says: Col. James C. Hooe, of Loudoun county, formally announced his candidacy for Congress in the following interview with the correspondent of the Washington Herald:

"Yes, it is true," he said, "that I am a candidate for the place made vacant by the death of my life-long friend, Representative Rixey. In the past ten days I have received many letters from influential democrats from all the counties of the district, asking me if I would allow my name to be considered, and promising me their support, and I feel I owe it to these friends frankly to state my position.

"I shall ask for the support of the democrats of the district in the belief that I can serve the district with credit. The district is well equipped with able men, and I have great regard for all those who are active candidates. None the less, I feel that my long experience and wide acquaintance among public men and consequent familiarity with public questions will enable me to have an immediate standing in the House, which others would need time to acquire. Fifteen years of personal contact with public men and men of affairs, as well as with the executive officers of the government, fit me to serve the interests of the people, and if elected I shall endeavor to initiate and promote measures of constructive legislation. The kind of Representative Virginia, as well as other Sout ern States, needs is one who will help build up, and not tear down simply because he had no part in the building."

"In an interview in The Washington Herald some weeks ago, you announced your opposition to government ownership of railroads. It is not possible that your attitude on that question will alienate the support of the many friends of Mr. Bryan in the Eighth district?"

"No The question of government ownership is not immediately a live one. Mr. Bryan recognizes this, and in a letter to me, under date of March 2, says:

"'A good many of our democrats have taken issue on that subject, but I believe ultimately—mark the word, ultimately—it will be found necessary, and the railroad managers will, by resistance to attempted regulation, educate the people up to the ownership idea.'"

"How about the Philippines?"

"I stand squarely upon the last democratic nat onal platform, which imposes upon democrats the duty of engagin in the effort to put the Filipino people upon their feet and then enable them freely and independently of this government or any other to work out their own destiny. This is not only the platform of our party, but is the position that has so long been held by Col. Bryan with reference to the duty of this country toward these people. As for giving the islands away or selling them, it is not for us to barter the liberty of ten millions of people."

"How do you feel toward the tendency of the present administration toward centralization?"

"As a native of the State of Virginia, which since the birth of the republic ha- maintained a dignified and efficient self-government, I am opposed to this renewed form of paternalism, both in theory and practice. The distribution of power, under the Constitution, between the national and State governments is, as it stands, a sufficient safeguard against whatever danger may be imminent or in the future."

The formal announcement of Col. Hooe's candidacy will be no surprise to his Washington friends. They have been earnestly urging him to enter the race. While, of course, taking no part in the contest, many democrats of national prominence are manifesting personal interest in his candidacy.

Mrs. Osler, mother of Dr. William Osler, died at Toronto, Ont., yesterday, at over 100 years of age. Mrs. Osler recently celebrated her one hundredth birthday, and was apparently in good health. There was a family reunion on that occasion, the famous physician being in the gathering.

### New York Stock Market.

New York, March 19.—The room is full of talk about an announcement of an important failure and there has been selling of stocks, both in this market and London all morning. Prices of all the active issues that were on the down grade yesterday made further losses from last night's closing ranging from 1 to 4 points and as declined a feeling of vague uneasiness was developed in many quarters. London sold fully 60,000 shares in this morning's market so far including Erie, Pennsylvania, Steel and Union Pacific. The buying is confined almost wholly to scattering covering of short.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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In loving remembrance of my dear husband, JAMES F. ERRY, who died March 19, 1906—one year ago today.

Farewell, my darling husband,
I have spent one sad and lonely year,
You left me with a broken heart,
The hour that you and I did part.
Your stay with me was short, but sweet,
I hope in heaven some day we'll meet.

BY HIS WIFE, JENNIE.

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WANTED—TABLE BOARDERS
At 305 south St. Asaph street; also a few gentlemen boarders in private family. ma15 2w

WANTED.—A MAN to work in the packing room. One who has had experience in grocery store preferred.
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WANTED—25 GOOD DRIVERS for brick wagons. Men who will take good care of their teams and make a day's work, will be paid $1.50 a day, with steady employment. NEW WASHINGTON BRICK CO., Arlington, Alexandria county, Va. mar12 1m

Alexandria Gazette

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 19, 1907.

## Local Matters.

### Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:05 a. m. and sets at 6 12 o. m. High water at 12:07 a. m. and 12:27 p. m.

### Weather Probabilities.

For this section rain, warmer tonight. Wednesday rain; fresh to brisk southwest to northwest winds.

### Portrait Presented.

We announced in our issue of the fifteenth inst. that a portrait of L. M. Blackford, M. A., LL. D., since 1870 principal of the Episcopal High School, near this city, was to be presented to the University of Virginia.

The portrait was painted by Mrs. Andrews, wife of Mr. E. F. Andrews, of Seminary Hill, and is considered a most excellent likeness of Prof. Blackford and a real work of art.

A large audience was present in Madison Hall on last Saturday night to witness this presentation, Hon. R. Walton Moore, of Fairfax, an old High School boy, made the presentation speech. Mr. Moore began by showing the close relationship existing between the High School and the University; how they were both governed by the same unchangeable honor system, and how it was essentially a University of Virginia School. Mr. Moore then gave a brief outline of Dr. Blackford's life.

Dr. E. A. Alderman in a few well chosen words accepted the gift in the name of the University. In conclusion he said:

"For years the Episcopal High School has poured a steady stream of men into this University; simple, true, noble fellows, and I have the greatest admiration and respect for their excellent principal. I accept with gratitude and pleasure this portrait."

Professor Echols, of the University, another old High School boy, made a capital speech, in great part a narrative of anecdotes and experiences at the school. His wit and humor kept the audience in a continual fit of laughter.

Mr. Thos. K. Nelson, formerly boy and master at the school and now completing his academic course at the University, was the last speaker. He said in closing:

"It is most fitting that in the University of this State should be enshrined the memories of the faithful citizen who has devoted more than forty years of his life to the training of her youth in knowledge, virtue and religion."

After the speeches ended, the High School boys present, numbering more than forty, gathered and gave the school yell for their beloved principal.

### Fined Fifty Dollars.

Officers Lyles and Beach this morning brought Rose Boberts, a woman living in the northeastern section of this city, before the Police Court charged with selling beer on Sunday and without a license. From the evidence it appeared that the proprietress of a house in the neighborhood found herself out of beer last Sunday and that she procurred fifteen bottles from the Roberts woman. The later stated in her defense that she gave the woman the beer, but this was denied by the recipient, who said she had paid for supplies on similar occasions and that it was understood that she was to settle for that obtained Sunday. A white woman named Laura Bell, a witness for the accused, was sent to jail for 30 days for perjury, as her testimony was flatly contradicted by others. It was also shown that the Roberts woman had interviewed some of the witnesses before the parties appeared in the Police Court. Justice Caton fined the accused $50, and Mr. Robinson Moncure, who represented the defendant, noted an appeal.

### The Wright Case.

Attorney James E. Clements, counsel for John Wright, the negro who is under sentence of death in Alexandria county, whose petition for a new trial the State Court of Appeals recently refused, has made an unsuccessful effort to obtain requests from the members of the jury that sat in the case for a retrial. It is stated that Mr. Basil Boteler, junior counsel for the defense, will try to secure the indorsement of the jurors to a petition to the governor for a commutation of the sentence to life imprisonment. The county authorities are of the opinion that the sentence of the trial court will be carried out, and Sheriff Palmer has made preliminary arrangements for the execution. The date for the hanging will be set aside by Judge Barley, of the County Circuit Court, the next term of which begins April 15. Wright was to have been hanged December 14, but he was granted a stay of execution by the Court of Appeals.

### An Interesting Relic.

Mr. Julius Dreitus a day or two ago found among some old paper books, &c., a pamphlet entitled "The Report of the Proceedings of the Late Jubilee at James-town, in Commemoration of the 13th of May, the Second Centesimal Anniversary of the Settlement of Virginia, Containing the Order of Procession, the Prayer of Bishop Madison, the Orations, the Odes and Toasts, Together with the Proceedings at Williamsburg on the 15th, the Day when the Convention of Virginia Assembled at the Old Capitol, Declared Her Independent and Recommended a Similar Procedure to Congress and the Other States." The pamphlet was published by Wm. F. McLaughlin and J. O'Connor, at Norfolk in 1807, and is especially interesting at this time as the next anniversary draws near.

### Musical Tonight.

The musical at Lee Camp Hall tonight for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten promises to be a most enjoyable affair. The fact that Mesdames Woolls, Hulfish, Fowler and Messrs. Ogden and Wirt are to furnish the vocal music and Miss Armstrong and The Mandolin Club the instrumental, with recitations by Miss Pollard, assure its success. Admission will be twenty-five cents. The Kindergarten is in need of funds and it is hoped there will be a good attendance.

### Fish and Oysters.

The pound-nets are beginning to haul in choice herring. Many Chesapeake Bay fishermen are belated and have not their nets out yet. The oyster season in Virginia to close in two weeks, has been generally a successful one. Tongers and shippers of barrel stock have done exceptionally well, but many shuckers have not come out even.—[Virginia Citizen.

### Conductor and Motorman Responsible.

The coroner's jury summoned to investigate the case of Garland A. Rosson, who was killed Saturday evening in Washington while standing on a fender of a southbound Brightwood avenue car by a northbound car running into it, yesterday decided that his death was due to the negligence of Sidney G. Lucas and Jesse Shreeves, motorman and conductor, respectively, of the northbound car. From the evidence given by Bruce Rubenthal, motorman of the southbound car, to whom Rosson was talking when struck, and others, it appeared that this car was standing on a switch waiting for the northbound car to pass. The latter car approached at a rapid speed and crashed into the other, the switch not being properly set. Both of Rosson's legs were ground to a pulp, and he died shortly afterward. While the jury held that the accident was due to the negligence of Lucas and Shreeves in not seeing that the switch was properly set before getting up speed, it did not hold them for the action of the grand jury. If any steps are taken to prosecute them it will be at the option of the District Attorney. Rosson's funeral took place from the Baptist church at Thirty-first and N streets, Washington, last night, and the body was sent to Culpeper county, the former home of the deceased.

### Illustrated Lecture.

Mr. W. H. H. Smith, of Washington, delivered a lecture last night in Christ Church parish hall on the subject "The Life of Christ and Scenes in the Holy Land." An appreciative audience was present and the pictures and lecture were greatly enjoyed. Pictures of Bible scenes were in by-gone days pleasant features among the attractions presented by traveling showmen. They played a prominent part in the religious instruction of the young and were equally interesting to their elders. But few of such are now "on the road," and the pictures last night were refreshing to all who viewed them, as they were reminders to many of by-gone days when panoramas of the Bible came along at short intervals.

### Thought She was in Washington.

About half-past one o'clock this morning a colored woman aroused numbers of people on north Washington street by attempting to force her way into several houses. Considerable excitement followed and Lieutenant Smith and Officers Lyles and Garvey soon appeared and took the woman in charge. She was drunk and said her name was Frances Blaine and that she was looking for a house on 2nd street, supposing she was in Washington. The woman was arraigned before Justice Caton this morning, when she stated that she had drank but one bottle of beer.

### Seminary Notes.

Bishop Potter has presented a handsome set of his works, consisting of ten volumes beautifully bound in half morocco, to the library of the Episcopal Seminary near this city. The inscription attached to each volume is as follows: "To my most dear Mother, The Theological Seminary of Virginia, from her grateful and loving Son, Henry C. Potter," the signature being in the Bishop's handwriting. The binding was especially done for the set as presented to the Seminary and the gift is most truly appreciated by all connected with the institution.

### Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Rose Roberts, arrested by Officers Lyles and Beach charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without a license, was fined $50. An appeal was noted.

Frances Blaine, colored, arrested by Lieutenant Smith and Officers Lyles and Garvey charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5.

### Fire in Stafford.

The residence in Stafford county, near Widewater, of Mr. John Newton Harper, known as "Mount Pleasant," was entirely destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The fire started while the family was at dinner. Everything was burned. The loss was heavy.

It could not be ascertained whether or not the property was insured.—[Fredericksburg Star.

### Conference.

The Baltimore conference of the M. E. Church South convenes in Staunton, March 27. Among those who will go from here are Rev. Charles D. Bulla, Mr. James E. Alexander, secretary of the Conference Home Mission, and Mr. Frank J. Pollard. The congregation expects that Mr. Bulla will be returned to the local church.

### The Fishing Season.

A few shad and herring have made their appearance in the bay and the lower river, but the shores are not as yet in active operation, nor are the gillers. Shad, herring, perch, black bass and other varieties are being offered in market, but the high prices still keep them out of the reach of most people.

### Wagon Down the Bank.

There was another accident in the vicinity of Spring Park last night when a large wagon belonging to the Adams Express Company, loaded with boxes and packages, ran down the bank at the curve in the electric railway track at King street extended. Fortunately the men on the wagon escape serious injury.

### Assistant Superintendent.

W. L. Pierce, former superintendent of the Jacksonville Division of the Southern Railway, has been made assistant superintendent of the Washington Division, to succeed A. P. Cone, who was recently promoted to be superintendent of the Richmond Division.

For Catarrh, let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size Box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrah Remedy. It is a snow white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm that gives instant relief to Catarrh of the nose and thoat. Make the free test and see. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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### Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Albert Smoot, have returned from a visit to Mrs. James H. Corbitt in Suffolk.

Rev. Wm. J. Morton, of Alexandria, preached an excellent sermon at St. George's Episcopal church Sunday morning and again at night.—[Fredericksburg Star.

Mr. L. F. Sterns and his daughter, Miss Viola, who have been visiting Mrs. Edgar Warfield, jr., left today for their home in Philadelphia.

The marriage of Miss Adelaide Ursula Kirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kirk, and Mr. James William May, both of this city, will take place at the Methodist Protestant Church, tonight. Rev. J. W. Kirk, uncle of the bride, will officiate, assisted by Rev. J. H. S. Ewell.

Mr. B. C. Hall, of this city, an employe of the Southern Railway says he is the youngest Confederate soldiers. He enlisted in Sturtevant's battery, of Richmond when he was but 13 years old.

### River and Harbor Bill.

The act covering all river and harbor appropriations made at the last session of Congress has been printed, and shows exactly what appropriation Virginia received after the various items had run the gauntlet of the House and Senate and had passed through the hands of the conferees.

Among the items is one for improving Nomini creek, continuing improvements and maintenance $5,000.

Surveys will be made as follows:

Potomac river below Washington, with a view to obtaining a width of channel of 400 feet.

Aquia creek from Cole's landing to Wharton Landing.

Potomac river, at Alexandria with a view to the removal of a bar recently formed.

Potomac river, with a view to obtaining a channel to wharf at Mount Vernon.

### More Buildings.

Mr. J. D. Knight has been given the contract for building for Mr. John Lawler a two story brick flat 38x48 feet at the corner of Pitt and Gibbon streets, to cost upwards of $5,000. The building is to be fitted with all modern improvements, including electric lights.

Mr. Knight has given the contract for the brick work on the building to Messrs. McMenamin & Sons to whom he has also given the contract for the stone and brick work on the big station building to be erected at Mount Vernon for the electric railway company.

### Spring Millinery.

Mrs. C. E. Bradley, at her store, No. 414 King street, opened her assortment of spring millinery today, and will exhibit the same again tomorrow. The stock embraces all that could be desired

Miss Annie Hurdle, 716 King street, will open her stock of millinery Thursday and Friday. Her stock is large and varied and contains all the new novelties.

### Death of Mr. Thorne.

Mr. J. M. Thorne, a prominent citizen of Fairfax county, died this morning at his home in Falls Church. He was well known throughout this section of the State and was a Mason. His funeral will take place on Thursday.

Kodol digests what you eat and quickly overcomes Indigestion, which is a forerunner of Dyspepsia. It is made in strict conformity to the National Pure Food and Drug Law and is sold on a guarantee relief plan. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Even the heavens wept.

Rain began to fall about 3 o'clock this morning, and continued at intervals today. The wind has been from the east.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to J. N. Spear and Lillian P. Litchford, both of Alexandria.

The north side of the embankment of the Washington and Ohio Railroad at St. Asaph gave way early this morning and blocked the north bound track.

A war on worthless dogs has been started in the extreme southern section of the city. Several canines have been poisoned and others shot, during the past few days.

The schooner Samuel B. Hubbard, which had been loading railroad ties at a wharf between King and Prince streets for New York, left yesterday in tow of the tugboat Camilla.

A freight car of the Southern Railway jumped the track at Gilbert's early this morning and was turned over. The wrecking train was sent from this city and later the car was replaced upon the rails.

A business meeting of the Men's League of the Baptist Church was held last night at which arrangements were made for a public meeting to be held at that church on the first Monday in April when a number of prominent speakers will make addresses.

Because of a quarrel with a man, Miss Avis Berry, twenty-two years old, swallowed two ounces of laudanum shortly after 8 o'clock last night, in Washington. She was taken to the Emergency Hospital. She will recover.

Fancy Florida Tomatoes, 12½c lb.; Prime Potatoes 70c bushel. J. M. Pettit, jr., 717 King street. Bell 'Phone 200. 2t

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Fried clams. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. Clam Soup three times a week. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

W. J. Rhees, keeper of archives of the Smithsonian Institution, died in Washington yesterday.

Lost and Found,

Lost, between 9:30 p. m., yesterday and noon today, a bilious attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by finding at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, the guaranteed cure for biliousness, malaria and jaundice. 25c.

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FOR RENT.—BRICK DWELLING No. 619 south Lee street. Large side and back yard. For information apply at this office. no29 tf

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### Virginia News.

It is understood that Rev. Dr. W. A. Barr, of Norfolk, will not accept the call to St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg.

Rev. T. P. Baker, rector of St. Anne's Parish, has accepted a call to South Carolina, and preached his last sermon in St. John's church, Scottsville, on Sunday last.

Mr. H. H. Rogers, of Denver, Col., who came east to marry Miss Sadie Yost at Newport News, died in Richmond, yesterday.

Mr. Thomas Hancock, 79 years of age a former prominent business man of Richmond, died suddenly while sitting on a bench in Monroe Park yesterday afternoon, following an attack of vertigo.

The annual report of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station at Blacksburg has been received. It contains much information to farmers, truckers, fruit growers and stock raisers.

Mrs. Emma Lee Colvin, wife of Railroad Contractor John M. Colvin, died yesterday at her home, near Culpeper. She was one of the seven daughters of the late George F. Marshall, of Culpeper.

C. F. Ferguson, postmaster at New Soms, Southampton county, who was found dead in Norfolk Sunday morning, died of alcoholism and was not killed as at first believed. The coroner said the body may have been robbed after death.

As was to have been expected Mr. C. D. Langhorne, of Albemarle county, denies the rumor that his daughter, Miss Nora Langhorne, is to be married to Prince Francis of Teck. He says his daughter has not even met the Prince.

Because of the fact that three students of the University of Virginia have been expelled by the student body during the present session for cheating on examination the honor committee of that institution, composed of the presidents of the various classes, has determined that in future notice of such expulsion be brought to the attention of the student body, and that the name of the culprit be published.

Jackson Roope, 45 years old and married, and his niece, Kate White, 19 years old, eloped from Pulaski last week. They were arrested in Lynchburg Sunday in a boarding house where they were passing as man and wife. The girl at police headquarters admitted she was engaged to marry a young man, but said she loved her uncle better and preferred to be with him. They were taken back to Pulaski under a criminal warrant.

After a conference among Norfolk and Western officials, including President Johnson and Treasurer Lacy, it was announced yesterday in Richmond that J. D. Howbert, cashier in the treasurer's office, was short in his accounts several thousands of dollars. Howbert, who has been cashier for 15 years, admits his guilt and says he does not want a shadow of suspicion to fall on any other employee. Howbert will not be prosecuted and the shortage will be made good, his father and brother being his surety.

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Having completed arrangements for the season of 1907, we are now prepared to furnish all orders for Potomac fish, either Fresh, Fresh Cut and Salted or Barreled Fish. We receive our Fish daily on our own boats direct from the shores and can thereby guarantee them always fresh, of select quality and at the lowest price. Give us your orders. Satisfaction guaranteed. Fresh orders and prompt attention a specialty.

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1 Jardiniere and Pedestal reduced from $5.98 to $3.50.

All remaining Jardinieres at exactly half price.

Garden Seeds, - - 1c package.

The Finest of Everything.

Canned Boned Chicken and Game.

The recognized superiority of these articles for salads has won for us many patrons. They are being used more extensively every day by those demanding absolutely THE BEST.

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Grocer and Importer.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas bills for the quarter ending March 1, 1907, having been delivered, this is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before April 1, 1907. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light. J. B. WALLER, Clerk of Gas. mar13 td

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Easter Doings.

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New Spring Suits for man and boy.

New Spring Trousers.

New Spring Bloomer Pants for boys.

New White Vests at $1.25 to $3.50.

Easter Neckties,

The best we have ever shown. Owl brand. We are agents for Alexandria. 25c and 50c.

New Spring Shirts,

Our selection of patterns in the Manhattan for 1907 surpass any previous purchase. $1.50 up.

The Fitwell brand Shirt at $1, The most value ever put into a garment for the price. Wash perfect—anti-fade.

The Commercial Shirts, white, soft, pleated shirts. Six distinct styles of pleats. Choice 69c.

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A 50c Shirt value not equalled. Nice designs and roomy in size. Large assortment to select from.

Belts and Suspenders.

Pioneer and L. & M. make, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Gauze Lisle Socks, 25c and 50c.

Soft Handkerchiefs, 10c, 12½c and 25c.

New popular Arrow Collars, two for 25c.

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Alexandria, Va., March 11.

Mr. John D. Normoyle, Agent Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Company:

Dear Sir:—Please accept my thanks for your prompt and satisfactory settlement of damage by fire to furniture at my residence, 225 south Pitt street, on the evening of Tuesday, March 5, 1907.

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Extra Specials for Friday and Saturday and a Special Sale of Black and White Japanese Silks.

Friday and Saturday Only.

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| $1.00 English Walking Gloves, tried on at our risk | 88c |
| $1.50 Elbow-length Silk Gloves, in black only; size 7 | 75c |
| 60c Silk Veiling, plain and fancy mesh | 19c |
| 50c Costume Chiffon for dresses, excellent quality | 29c |
| 18c White Madras in a variety of neat figures | 12½c |
| 19c Victoria Lawn, 40 inches wide | 12½c |
| 12½c India Linon, good quality; 30 inches wide | 10c |
| 25c All-linen Handkerchiefs, some trimmed with lace | |

Black and White Japanese Silks.

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| 50c 27-inch Natural Jap | 39c |
| 59c 27-inch Natural Jap | 45c |
| 75c 27-inch Natural Jap | 60c |
| 89c 27-inch Natural Jap | 75c |
| $1 27-inch Natural Jap | 88c |
| $1.25 27-inch Natural Jap | $1 |
| 59c 36-inch Natural Jap | 48c |
| 75c 36-inch Natural Jap | 59c |
| 89c 36-inch Natural Jap | 75c |

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| 59c 27-inch Waterproof Jap | 48c |
| 69c 27-inch Waterproof Jap | 58c |
| 75c 27-inch Waterproof Jap | 68c |
| 89c 27-inch Waterproof Jap | 78c |
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Having purchased the stock and fixtures of Warfield and Hall, I have taken possession of the store lately occupied by them. Past experience of thirty-three years as a pharmacist, undivided time and attention, the purest drugs, and all that pertains to a first class Pharmacy, will be at the command of my patrons.
I, therefore, respectfully solicit the patronage with which they were favored and confidently hope for that of my friends generally.
Prescriptions will receive my personal attention, and the utmost care and accuracy are assured FRANK WARFIELD.
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Alexandria Gazette.
TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 19, 1907.

**Beaten and Thrown in Vault.**

When the other employees of the R. & G. Furniture Co., the largest store of its kind in Evansville, Ind., left it Saturday night Miss Josie Gray, 19 years old, the cashier, was still going over her books, and remarked to one of the salesmen that she would possibly remain for an hour. She failed to reach her home at midnight, and her parents became alarmed and notified the police. The store was visited and the doors were found to be unlocked.

When the police entered everything indicated that there had been some kind of a commotion in the establishment. Small change was scattered over the floor of the office and there was evidence that a struggle had taken place, but Miss Gray could not be found.

Manager Gumberts was called, and when he opened the vault there lay the body of the cashier, showing that she had been struck over the head several times with some heavy instrument. She was unconscious, and was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where she still lies unconscious. An examination shows that her skull was not fractured, and, though her injuries are severe, it is believed they are not fatal, but she is unconscious from shock and fright.

There was several thousand dollars in bills in the safe when it was closed Saturday night and all of them are missing. It is believed she fought desperately to defend her employers' property, as the office furniture was scattered about the room and several pieces broken.

If you want a can of good Salmon, ask for Argo. Every can guaranteed. 15 cents a can.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick headache and billiousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

**Jeffries Denies Allegations.**

San Francisco, March 19.—James J. Jeffries has not reached the "molly-coddle" stage. He says so himself. He also says a few other things in reply to recent story printed in the east that he is broke, a physical wreck, a steady gazer at the wine when it is red, and spoiling for a fight. The big champion dropped into Los Angeles yesterday afternoon long enough to issue a sweeping denial of most everything that had been printed about him during the last few weeks.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poison enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package.

For this reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and see. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Simply refuse to accept any other. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

**A Humane Appeal.**

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. U. D. Williams, 107 West Main St., says: "I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietor's recommendation." It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough cure the world over. Cures asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness, and phthsic, stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

Many sufferers from nasal catarrh say they get splendid results by using an atomizer. For their benefit we prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Except that it is liquid it is in all respects like the healing, helpful, pain allaying Cream Balm that the public has been familiar with for years. No cocaine nor other dangerous drug in it. The soothing spray relieves at once and cure is certain. All druggists, 75c, including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street New York.

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Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 1 35, 6 00, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 00 a. m., 2 00 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 1 35, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 9 45 a. m., and 3 30, 6 00 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., 1 00 and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1 35 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 1 35, 6 00, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 5 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

LENTEN SUPPLIES.—Potomac Roe Herring, Mackerel, Codfish, Scotch Herring, Bloaters, Sardines, &c., for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

A full line of MARKET and FANCY BASKETS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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For the display and sale of their immense new stock of Spring and Summer Merchandise for 1907, which has been most carefully selected from the best markets.

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All the latest dress goods will be found here at very low prices.

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| New Broadcloths, yard 75c, $1, $1.50 and | $2.00 |
| New Taffeta Panama, yard | $1.00 |
| New Wool Panama, yard 50c, 75c and | $1.00 |
| New Wool Voile, yard 75c and | $1.00 |
| New Wool Serges, yd 50c, 75c and | $1.00 |
| New Mohair, yard 50c, 75c and | $1.00 |
| New Cashmeres, yard 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New Wool Batiste, yard | 50c |
| New Novelty Dress Goods, 50c, 75c, and | $1.00 |

New Dress Trimmings.
We are showing a new line of fine spring Dress Trimmings, from 5 cents to $1 a yard.

New Dress Silks.

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| New Black Dress Silks, yard 50c, 75c, $1.00 and | $1.50 |
| New Colored Silks, yard 50c, 75c and | $1.00 |

New Dress Linings.

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| New Mercerized Sateens, yard 15c, 25c and | 35c |
| New Heatherbloom Linings, yard | 35c |
| New Linings, neva finish, yard 12½ and | 15c |
| New Neva Linings, yard | 18c |
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In a big variety of new and stylish Patterns from 35 cents up to $1.98 yard.

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| New white Persian Lawns, yard 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New white French Lawns, yard 15c, 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New white Linen Lawns, yard 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New white India Linens, yard 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c and | 35c |
| New white 40-inch Lawns, yard 10c, 12½c, 15c | 20c |
| New white Nainsooks, yard 12½c, 15c, 20c and | 25c |
| New white long Cloth, yard 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and | 25c |
| New white Cannon Cloth, yard 10c, 12½c, 15c and | 20c |
| New white Organdy, yard 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New white Figured Madras, yard 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c and | 35c |
| New white Linen Sheeting, yard 50c, $1.00 and | $1 25 |
| New narrow Valenciennes Laces in many new and attractive styles, from 3c to 35c per yard. | |
| New wide Valenciennes Laces, from 10 cents to 25 cents a yard. | |
| New Oriental Laces, from 10 cents to 65 cents yard. | |
| New Panne Velvet, yard | $1.00 |
| New Chiffon, yard 50c, 75c and | $1.00 |
| New Veilings, yard 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New all-over embroidery Yokings, yard, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, $1, $1.50 and | $1.98 |
| New white figured Silk Yokings, yard | $2.50 |
| Ladies' New Fancy Collars, 15c and | 25c |
| Ladies' New Belts, each 25 and | 50c |
| New Mercerized Dress Ginghams, yard | 25c |
| New Fancy Ribbons, yard 15c, 25c, 35c and | 50c |
| New Ruchings, yard | 25c |
| New Dress Ginghams, yard 10c, 12½ and | 15c |
| New Percales, yard 10c and | 12½c |
| New Long Silk Gloves, pair 69c, $1, $1.50 and | $1.98 |
| Ladies' New Short Kid Gloves, $1.00 and | $1.50 |
| Ladies' New Long Kid Gloves, 12 and 16 button length, pair $3.50 and | $3.98 |
| Ladies' New Lisle Hosiery, pair 25c, 35 and | 50c |
| Ladies New Black Silk Hose, pair | $1.50 |
| Ladies' New Dress Skirts, each $2.49, $3.50, $3.98, $4.50, $5, $6.50, $7.50 and | $8.50 |

**LEGAL NOTICES.**

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 9th day of March, 1907.

Hattie Grinnell and Thomas Grinnell, her husband vs. Hugh Campbell, Laura Virginia Robinson and James Robinson, her husband; Olive Campbell, Charles Gatewood, Gertrude Jackson and——Jackson, her husband; Harry Robinson, Lawrence Robinson, Nannie Gatewood, Amelia Gatewood and——Gatewood. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a sale of the real estate in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, of which Nancy Campbell died seized and possessed, and a division of the proceeds among those entitled thereto.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Charles Gatewood, James Robinson, Gertrude Jackson, and——Jackson, her husband; Harry Robinson, Lawrence Robinson, Nannie Gatewood, Amelia Gatewood and——Gatewood are non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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**MEETINGS.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SANITARY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the office of James R. Caton, Esq., No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, April 2nd, 1907, at 2 p. m.
mal4 td GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

A MEETING of the stockholders of the SOUTHERN PRINTERS' SUPPLY COMPANY will be held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the 25th DAY OF MARCH, 1907. The object of the meeting is to take action to revive the corporate existence of the company and to obtain a new charter under the provisions of section 30, chapter 5, of the act concerning corporations as amended by chapter 327 of the acts of the General Assembly of Virginia of the session of 1906. By order of the board of directors.
mar7 td W. SETON KENT, Secretary.

YARMOUTH BLOATERS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

RAILROADS
SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Trains leave Union Station Alexandria.
In Effect January 27, 1907.
N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.
7:17 A. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Danville and way stations.
7:53 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.
9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.
11:17 A.M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.
3:07 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.
4:19 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.
5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.
6:32 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited, solid Pullman to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine; sleeper bi-weekly to Charleston. Dining car.
10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Sleepers to Pinehurst week days. Dining car service a la carte.
10:32 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.
11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.
Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 2:13, 5:08, 8:28, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily; 9:58 A. M. except Mondays. Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:58 A. M
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Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:21 A M., 1:39 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:53 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.
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